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## FIGHTING REAR GUARD ACTIONS

Russians Are Striving to Escape German Net.

## TEUTONS PRESSING FORWARD

Kaiser's Forces Are Tenaciously Clinging to Czar's Armies in the Rear and on Both Flanks and London Fears That Russians Will Not Entirely Escape.

London, Sept. 22.—The big Russian force which a few days ago was compelled to evacuate Vilna continues to fight rear guard actions against the Germans as it endeavors to make its way toward safety from the enveloping wings of Field Marshal von Hindenburg and Prince Leopold of Bavaria.

The Germans are tenaciously clinging to the Russians in the rear and on both flanks and fears are felt in London that the Russians, with the meager roads of escape at their hands, will not be able entirely to escape the net.

On the other sectors of the Russian and Galician fronts the Teutonic allies continue to report favorable progress for their troops.

In the West, Paris asserts that the French troops have captured portions of the German positions at Eply and Raucourt in Lorraine and the German works in the region of Lainprey and Halloville. In addition Paris declares that in the heavy bombardments at other points along the line perceptible damage has resulted to the German trenches and opposing batteries have been silenced.

Heavy bombardments continue along the Austro-Italian front, with both sides claiming advantages for their guns at various points.

Constantinople reports that on the Gallipoli peninsula allied troops constructing fortifications near Anafarta and Seddul Bahr have been dispersed by Turkish guns and that a large portion of the allied trenches near Arl Brun were destroyed by the Turkish artillery fire.

## TAX FALLS ON LABORERS

Britain Has Greatest War Budget in World's History.

London, Sept. 22.—The greatest war budget in the world's history was introduced in the house of commons by Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, as another step toward financing the war, which is now costing Great Britain nearly \$25,000,000 daily.

Hereafter automobiles, bicycles, moving picture films, clocks, watches, musical instruments, plate glass and hats will pay a tax of 33½ per cent ad valorem, though, as Mr. McKenna explained, the objects of such taxation are "purely temporary and without regard to a permanent effect on trade," being primarily designed to discourage imports and remedy the foreign exchange situation.

Spirits and beer, which have been the subject of so much agitation, remained untouched by the new schedules.

The principal blow fell upon incomes, the tax on incomes not only being jumped 40 per cent, but its scope widened so as to catch even workingmen earning as little as \$14 weekly. The very wealthy must contribute to the government more than one-third of their revenue.

The 1 cent mail will be abolished entirely and the weight heretofore carried in the mails for 2 cents will be reduced. The rate on telegrams, which is 12 cents for twelve words, is increased to 18 cents and there is also to be a proportionate increase in telephone charges.

The sugar tax, though largely increased, will mean only an extra penny per pound burden for the general public, for the sale of all sugar is now regulated by the royal commission, which will reduce the price to refiners and dealers.

## TWO KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Two Other Boys Seriously Injured While Seeking Shelter.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 21.—Two boys were killed and two others badly injured as the result of lightning striking a tree near Conway, Ark., under which they had sought shelter during a shower.

The dead boys, aged nine and twelve years, were the sons of Thomas Shirley, a farmer.

Lake Steamer Goes Ashore. Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 22.—The steamer Collinge, Captain Peterson, loaded with coal and bound from Oswego to Toronto, went ashore in a storm on a bar a few miles west of Charlotte.

ANTHONY COMSTOCK.

Noted Vice Crusader Dead at Summit, N. Y.



## ANTHONY COMSTOCK DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Famous for His Vigorous Crusade Against Vice.

New York, Sept. 22.—Anthony Comstock, secretary of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, died at his home in Summit, N. J., after a brief illness.

Mr. Comstock, while on his vacation, ten days ago, contracted a cold which later developed into pneumonia.

Mr. Comstock was noted for many years for his crusade against immorality. He began back in 1872, when he was a dry goods clerk in a local store, and succeeded in suppressing an objectionable book that was being circulated among his co-workers.

So elated was he over the success of his initial effort that Mr. Comstock decided to make the crusade against vice his life work.

In 1873 the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice was formed by a group of prominent New York men and Mr. Comstock was made its special agent. He pushed his campaign in earnest and thousands of arrests and convictions resulted.

The same year the postoffice department employed Mr. Comstock as an inspector and it is said that he had much to do with checking fraudulent transactions through the mails.

## ROCKEFELLER SWINGS PICK

Standard Oil Magnate Studying Life in Mining Camp.

Primero, Colo., Sept. 22.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., slept in a coal camp. After a busy day of inspection, in the course of which he swung a pick in the Frederick mine and ate luncheon on the porch of a rustic mountain cabin at Stonewall, the Standard Oil magnate reached the Primero camp.

Tired out with the ten hours of motoring and tramping Rockefeller announced that he would not return to Trinidad, but would spend the night with the men in the camp.

Before retiring Mr. Rockefeller ate dinner in the miners' boarding house, then spent the early evening talking with the men who had just come from the underground workings.

## DUE TO OVERHEATED STOVE

Five Children Lose Their Lives When Cottage Burns.

Lewiston, Mont., Sept. 22.—Tucking her five little children carefully under the bed covers Mrs. Tucker left them sleeping peacefully in the frame cottage on the Tucker farm, near Moccasin, and joined her husband who was engaged in threshing several miles away. The parents returned home between 9 and 10 p. m. to find the cottage in ashes. The oldest was eight and the youngest two. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is attributed to an overheated stove.

## FARM CREDIT BODY STARTED

Initial Steps for Organizing National Association Are Taken.

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—Initial steps toward organizing a national association to bring about rural credits for farmers of the United States were taken at a mass meeting at the Panama-Pacific exposition, attended by many delegates of the International Irrigation congress and the National Drainage congress.

Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, former ambassador to France, was suggested as the head of the proposed association.

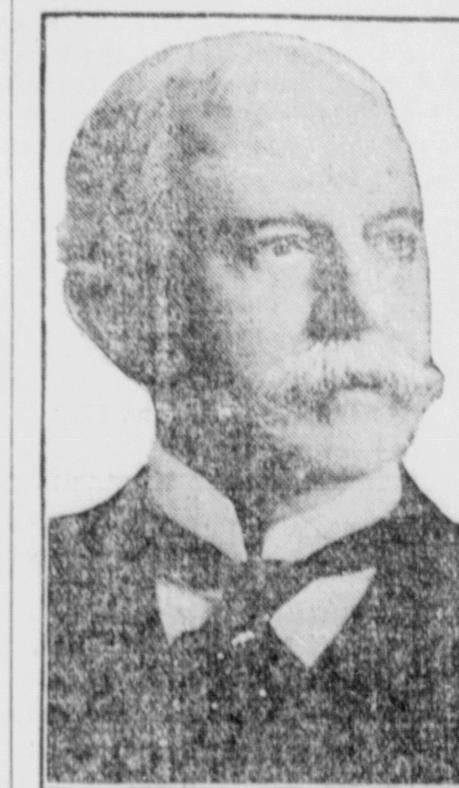
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## When a French Hero Comes Home



JAMES W. ALEXANDER.

Former President of Equitable Life Dead.



## JAMES W. ALEXANDER DEAD

Former President of Equitable Life Assurance Society.

Tuxedo, N. Y., Sept. 22.—James W. Alexander, former president of the Equitable Life Assurance society, died at the home of his son here after an illness of several months.

Mr. Alexander succeeded Henry B. Hyde as president of the Equitable in 1899. The Hughes investigation of life insurance companies in 1905-6 was provoked by Mr. Alexander, after a controversy with James Hazen Hyde son of Henry B. Hyde, and a vice president of the Equitable. Mr. Alexander and James H. Hyde resigned from the Equitable in the spring of 1906.

Mr. Alexander was born in Princeton, N. J., July 19, 1839. His widow, two sons and a daughter, the widow of John W. Alexander, the artist, survive.

The notes issued for the loan will run five years.

## BUT TWO POINTS TO BE SETTLED

Details of Proposed Loan Are Nearing Perfection.

AMOUNT ABOUT \$700,000,000

American Financiers and Anglo-French Commission Will Probably Reach a Complete Agreement in a Few Days—Pro-German Banking Houses Will Participate.

New York, Sept. 22.—Borrowers and lenders of the vast sum sought in America on behalf of Great Britain and France were said to be in virtual accord on all details of the proposed loan except two.

These, it was said, were not of prime importance. Formal proclamation of the success of the negotiations is expected in three or four days and possibly in forty-eight hours.

A rough inventory of what was accomplished, it was said, would be about as follows:

Members of New York's so-called pro-German banking houses will help float the loan.

Munitions of war no longer enter into the topics discussed.

The size of the loan has been agreed to, subject, of course, to eleventh hour revision. It will be less than \$800,000,000, probably \$700,000,000 or thereabouts.

The notes issued for the loan will run five years.

## CARRY CONVERSION PRIVILEGE.

The notes will carry a conversion privilege, the holders to surrender them at maturity, if desired, for joint Anglo-French government bonds, bearing 4½ per cent interest and covering a period of probably twenty years, redeemable, however, at the option of a term not as yet disclosed.

The notes issued for the loan will run five years.

While agreement on the foregoing details was said to have been reached, with increasing optimistic prospects that the two other details would soon be settled, the entire program was regarded as tentative and subject to revision before the issuance of a formal statement.

Members of at least two big financial institutions regarded as pro-German in their sympathies were said to have pledged their support to the project and others were expected to fall in line.

One of the two was Kuhn, Loeb & Co., whose power in the financial world has been rated as second only to that of J. P. Morgan & Co.

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GERMAN NAVAL MEN GET STRICT ORDERS.

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Berlin, Sept. 22.—Commanders of German submarines have been given strict orders, it has been learned authoritatively, that in case of doubt as to the intentions of liners they are to take the safe course and permit the ship to escape rather than run the slightest risk of error.

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CONDITIONS NEAR NORMAL

Order Is Being Restored in Carranza Mexican Territory.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Conditions in Mexico territory controlled by General Carranza are rapidly becoming normal, according to advices to the state department from American Consul Blocker at Piedras Negras.

Telegraphic communication which for many months has been paralyzed is now open to Mexico City as well as Saltillo, Monterrey, Zacatecas, San Luis Potosi, Guanajuato, Aguas Calientes and intervening stations.

BRYAN TO MEET PRESIDENT

Conference May Be Over Nebraska's Proposed Peace Mission.

Washington, Sept. 22.—William J. Bryan will hold a conference with President Wilson and official Washington, while not knowing, expects that the two men will discuss the recent proposal that Mr. Bryan go to Europe to talk peace and urge acceptance by Germany.

The engagement was made at the White House at Mr. Bryan's request. It will be the first time the former secretary of state and the president have met since Mr. Bryan quit the cabinet three months ago.

Russians Sink German U Boat. Odessa, Sept. 22.—Russian ships have sunk a German submarine which has been operating recently in the Black sea.

## TWO HUNDRED PEOPLE DROP WHEN N. Y. SUBWAY CAVES

(By United Press)

New York, Sept. 22.—Two hundred persons dropped thirty feet into a great gap on Seventh avenue, when the subway being constructed caved in for an entire block, carrying down a crowded Seventh avenue surface car which flattened like a mushroom. On account of the great confusion estimates of the dead and dying range widely from one to twenty-five. A big brewery truck went down with the crash. Many persons were hurled from the sidewalks, tumbling into the pits. The cars were crowded with men going to work. The car's fall was broken by the timbers of the new subway. The timbers held the car for a few moments, then all gave way with a dull roar which was heard for blocks. The police are unable to confirm the report that an explosion was heard before the cave-in. No workmen are believed to be in the section of the tube that collapsed. The subway that collapsed was under construction, hence there were no pains in the tube. Such enormous crowds gathered that the next block on Seventh avenue started sinking. The police rushed the crowd with sticks and drove them off in avenue into safety.

New York, Sept. 22.—Six were killed and 200 seriously or slightly injured at the subway cave-in which followed a dynamite blast by workmen in the subway which was being constructed underneath.

## LATEST WAR NEWS

RIGA AND PETROGRAD SAFE

(By United Press)

Petrograd, Sept. 22.—An official dispatch says Riga and Petrograd are safe from Germans on account of the Russian victories around Dvinsk and the withdrawal of the Germans for the great Balkan drive which met with repeated reverses, and the Germans' attempt to take Dvinsk fortifications which affected the morale of the Germans and the attacks were weaker.

RECALLED TO COLORS

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Sept. 22.—All Bulgarians in Austria and Germany have been recalled to the colors. Athens, Sept. 22.—All Bulgarian officers on leave of absence have been recalled to the colors and several Bulgarians residing here left this afternoon.

MOBILIZED FOUR DIVISIONS

(By United Press)

Athens, Sept. 22.—Bulgaria has mobilized four divisions of 160,000 men and cavalry regiments stationed at Sofia, and ordered them to the Serbian frontier.

AVIATORS BOMBARD TRAIN

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 22.—An official statement says the allied aviators bombarded the German railway junctions and troop trains at several points along the battle front last night with marked success.

GENERAL SAVOFF SUMMONED

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 22.—An over seas new agency dispatch from Saloniki says the Bulgarian prime minister has summoned General Savoff, former head of the Bulgarian army, to Sofia.

## Probable Result of Archibald Incident

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 22.—The publication of the letters that Archibald carried may result: First, in the punishment of Archibald for the violation of neutrality, or conspiracy; second, the return to Germany of Captain Paper, the German military attaché; third, the return to Austria of the Austrian consul, General Nuber at New York; fourth, the return to Austria of the Austrian consul, Schwiegel, at New York; fifth, the investigation of and possible action against the editor of the Hungarian newspaper in New York; and sixth, no action will be taken against Ambassador Bernstorff, as Bernstorff's letter introducing Archibald, saying he wished to return to America after having promoted our interests here in such a zealous and successful manner, is regarded merely as evidence of the violation of neutrality by Archibald.

The room was in disorder and the drawers to a dresser were ransacked, which led the police at first to believe a burglar had committed the crime. This, however, was partly credited when jewelry valued at several thousand dollars was found in its place.

## TRADE CONDITIONS BETTER

Business Throughout Country Shows Improvement.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Business conditions throughout the country are showing improvement and trade generally is picking up, according to members of the federal advisory council, which held its regular quarterly session with the federal reserve banks.

Virtually every section of the country was represented. Discussion of conditions was brief, but the opinions expressed were identical in tenor, that improvement is apparent.

## Four Killed in Smash With an Auto Truck

Portland, Ore., Sept. 22.—Four were killed in a smash of a Southern Pacific electric train into an auto truck.

## Bank of England Hit

Berlin, Sept. 22.—Dispatches from

Amsterdam state that bombs in the recent air raid at London actually hit the Bank of England.

Editor and Founder of the Western Watchman.

St. Louis, Sept. 22.—Rev.

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Blocks and Reinforced Well Curbing.

Will put in foundations, Sidewalks  
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**For Sale**

97 acres of land, in St. Mathias,  
being lot 2 and the W½ of SE¼  
of Section 23-43-31. Inquire of

Chas. Peterson, 623 Pine St.

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The Careful man  
has his family  
protected  
with money  
in the  
Bank

ARE YOU GOING TO LEAVE A WIFE AND BABY HELP-  
LESS SHOULD YOU DIE?

DIE EVERY MAN MUST. IT IS HIS DUTY TO HAVE  
MONEY PILLED UP IN THE BANK TO MAKE SURE THAT HIS  
FAMILY WILL NOT BE IN WANT WHEN HE IS TAKEN AWAY  
FROM THEM.

YOUR BEST LIFE INSURANCE IS MONEY IN THE BANK;  
BECAUSE A GOOD SOLID BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY MAY  
COME TO YOU WHILE YOU ARE ALIVE.

**BANK WITH US.**

WE PAY INTEREST ON TIME AND SAVINGS DEPOSITS.

**First National Bank**

Brainerd, Minn.  
Established 1881  
Capital and Surplus

One Hundred Thousand Dollars

**REGULAR MEETING  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
WED., SEPT. 22nd  
8 p.m.**

The water and light board has its  
regular meeting this evening.

The Chamber of Commerce has its  
regular meeting this evening.

Glasses properly fitted. Dr. Long.  
2911f

C. B. Rowley returned home yesterday  
from a business trip to Duluth.

Ed Ring, who has been at Bar-  
rows, returned to Duluth this after-  
noon.

New and second hand sewing ma-  
chines at D. M. Clark's. 901f

United States Marshal C. B. Buck-  
man, of Little Falls, was in the city  
today.

Classified want ads in the Brai-  
nerd Dispatch introduce work-seekers  
to work-opportunities.

Jack Hurley has returned from  
Shakopee and St. Paul where he vis-  
ited relatives and friends.

Why hire a chimney sweep when  
Anti-Carbon does it cheaper. At D.  
M. Clark's. 901f

Mr. B. Ellingson, the Ironon banker,  
was in Brainerd on business today,  
visiting the court house. He  
was accompanied by an old friend,  
Jens Benson, of Barrett, who had  
visited him at Ironon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barber and Mr.  
and Mrs. Lee Barber, who spent the  
summer at their country home "Twin  
Oaks," returned to Chicago today. J.  
C. Barber, however, will visit "Twin  
Oaks" at regular intervals.

D. W. Smiley picked apples and  
blossoms on the same tree in his yard  
last Saturday, which shows remarkable  
industry on the part of the apple  
tree. However doubts are entertain-  
ed if the second crop will mature.

Western Union clocks have been  
placed in four stores today, John  
Carlson & Son, D. M. Clark & Co.,  
Murphy clothing store and the  
O'Brien Mercantile Co. The clocks  
are all electrically regulated and self-  
wound.

Mrs. Margaret Ward, aged 80, died  
of old age at her home in Nokay Lake  
township and the funeral was held  
this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from  
Dickinson's hall, Nokay Lake, Rev.  
R. E. Cody of the Baptist church of  
ficiating.

Several 40 and 80 acre tracts, Close  
to city at Bargains. Dawes Farm  
Land, 717 Laurel St. 8011m

Taking notice of the reported ac-  
tion of the city council in regard to  
offending trees, house owners in many  
parts of the city are having branches  
trimmed and are paying some atten-  
tion to the trees themselves, remov-  
ing dead or rotten ones.

Roller skating has again revived.  
Opening night Wed. First class  
skates. Good floor, Gardner auditor-  
ium. 9213

Prof. Wm. Graham has received a  
fine silver cornet appropriately en-  
graved with his name and address  
from Lyon & Healy Co., Chicago, a  
present from the general manager,  
J. H. Balluff, who is an old friend of  
Mr. Graham. The instrument is one  
of the best made by the famous Chi-  
cago music house and is treasured by  
Mr. Graham.

Roller skating in Gardner's Auditor-  
ium. Opening night Wed. Special  
instructions to new beginners. 9213

The funeral services over the re-  
maine of Francis Lidenberg, eight  
year son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Liden-  
berg, 710 South Broadway, will be  
held Thursday afternoon at 2:45  
from the residence and at 3 o'clock  
from the Presbyterian church, Rev.  
W. J. Lowrie officiating. The funeral  
was set for Thursday so as to enable  
relatives out of town to attend.

A good way to save money is to  
put it where you can't get it. A  
First Mortgage of the Security Na-  
tional Loan Company will give you  
7% interest. 67tf

The probable buyer of your prop-  
erty—the prospective tenant of your  
house—the man who wants to em-

Leland Denzer, the guest of friends  
and relatives in the city, returned  
this afternoon to his home in St.  
Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koop and their  
son William, of Crosby, returned  
this afternoon from a visit in Glen-  
dive, Mont.

Splendid business opportunity for  
a capable lady. Address A. B. Dis-  
patch. 9212p

At the noon hour the fire truck re-  
sponded to an alarm in the old mill  
yards. The stiff breeze had fanned  
up the flames.

Classified ads initiate most of the  
real estate sales in Brainerd. Try  
one in the want ad columns of the  
Brainerd Dispatch.

High grade pianos at Folsom's.  
220 South Broadway.—Advt. 90t3

W. G. Mitsch, of St. Paul, district  
passenger agent of the Chicago Great  
Western railway, was in Brainerd to-  
day soliciting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson and baby  
Margaret returned to Henning this  
afternoon after a visit with his mother,  
Mrs. Hannah Olson and other  
relatives.

United States Senator Moses E.  
Clapp was in the city between trains  
Tuesday on his way to Akeley where  
he was to deliver a speech before the  
attendance at the county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Bland and  
daughter Margaret of Wadena were  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Beale,  
returning home Tuesday. They at-  
tended the Ericsson-Willer wedding.

Northern Pacific railway company  
officials in Brainerd on an inspection  
trip were W. H. Wilson, assistant to  
the vice president; A. M. Burt, chief  
engineer; O. C. Wakefield, supply  
agent.

The fire truck was called to the  
home of Joseph A. Weber, Jr., 611  
North Tenth street, at 2:30 this af-  
ternoon where a woodshed was on  
fire. It was extinguished after be-  
ing partly burned.

Trunks and leather traveling bags,  
from \$3 to \$12. D. M. Clark & Co.  
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you—the man or woman who  
ought to be working for you—the  
"roomer" who'd appreciate that fur-  
nished room—any of these people can  
find your classified ad in a minute in  
the want columns of the Brainerd  
Dispatch. Of course, if your ad is  
not in the column nor your name in  
the city directory, then the problem  
of how to do business with you be-  
comes puzzling. And in these days,  
business-like people have little time  
to devote to puzzles, or to mysteries.

Roller skating, a healthful exer-  
cise for young and old. Opening  
Wednesday night, 7:30 P. M., Gardner  
Auditorium. Everyone invited.  
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Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Sept. 21.—Wheat—On track  
and to arrive, No. 1 hard, 99c; No. 1  
Northern, 98c; No. 2 Northern, 96c.  
Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.67.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Sept. 21.—Wheat—No. 1  
Northern, 97½¢@\$1.01½; No. 2 Northern,  
94½¢@98½¢; No. 2 Montana hard,  
97½¢@\$1.00½; corn, 72½¢@73¢; oats,  
22½¢@33¢; barley, 45¢@54¢; rye, 88¢@  
89¢; flax, \$1.70.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Steers,  
\$6.00@10.30; cows and heifers, \$2.85@  
8.30; calves, \$7.00@11.00. Hogs—  
Light, \$7.10@8.00; mixed, \$6.30@7.90;  
heavy, \$6.05@7.30; rough, \$6.05@6.20;  
pigs, \$5.25@7.00. Sheep—Native, \$5.25@  
6.00.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Sept. 21.—Wheat—  
Sept., 94½¢; Dec., 90½¢; May, 94½¢.  
Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.  
02½%; No. 1 Northern, 97½¢@\$1.01½%;  
No. 2 Northern, 94½¢@98½%; No. 3  
Northern, 90½¢@94½%; No. 3 yellow  
corn, 71½¢@72¢; No. 3 white oats,  
32½¢@33¢; flax, \$1.70.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Wheat—Sept.,  
\$1.01½%; Dec., 93¢; May, 94½¢. Corn,  
Sept., 71½¢; Dec., 56½¢; May, 57c.  
Oats—Sept., 37½¢; Dec., 35½¢; May,  
37½¢. Pork—Sept., \$12.37½%; Oct.,  
\$12.37½%; Nov., \$12.70. Butter—Cream-  
eries, 25¢. Eggs—18@23¢. Poultry—  
Springs, 15½¢; fowls, 14¢.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Sept. 21.—Cattle—  
Receipts, 4,000; steers, \$4.00@9.25;  
calves, \$3.75@9.75; stockers and feeders,  
\$3.25@7.10. Hogs—Receipts, 3,000;  
range, \$6.25@7.50. Sheep—Receipts,  
7,000; lambs, \$4.50@8.25; wethers,  
\$4.75@7.57; ewes, \$3.00@5.25.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Sept. 21.—Hay—Choice  
timothy, \$14.50; No. 1 timothy, \$13.00  
@13.75%; No. 1 clover mixed, \$10.50@  
11.25%; No. 1 mixed, different grasses,  
\$10.50@11.25%; No. 1 mixed, timothy  
and wild, \$10.50@11.25%; choice upland,  
\$14.50; No. 1 upland, \$12.00@12.75%;  
No. 1 midland, \$8.00@8.75%; No. 1 al-  
falfa, \$14.00@14.75.

Anteaters.

Anteaters are in the curious position  
of being practically unable to open  
their mouths. It may almost be said,  
indeed, that they have no mouths to  
open. There is just a small, round  
orifice at the end of the snout, through  
which about two feet of wormlike  
tongue can wriggle out, and as this  
tongue is bathed with liquid glue in-  
stead of saliva every ant which it  
touches adheres to it, and the animal  
licks the insects up by hundreds at a  
time.

PATIENT WORK.

There is no great achievement  
which is not the result of patient  
working and waiting.—Timothy  
Titcomb.



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**\$3.48**

**A Big Sale On New Fall Skirts**

A big lot of high priced skirts we bought while in  
the East at a price. The cheapest one in the lot is  
worth \$7.50 and up to \$12.50. They go now at \$3.48.  
See these skirts in our window. All sizes and colors.

**Murphy's**  
THE STORE OF QUALITY

**SAMUEL W. McCALL.**

Republican Candidate for  
Governor of Massachusetts.

**WANTS**

Notices under this head will be  
charged for at the rate of one cent  
a word for the first insertion and one half  
a cent a word for each subsequent inser-  
tion. Strictly cash in advance, but no  
debt will be taken for less than fifteen

**HELP WANTED.**

MEN WANTED—13th street paving.  
Apply on job one mile south of  
Oak. 9213

WANTED—An active man to give  
just a part of his time looking af-  
ter the oyster trade in Brainerd.  
Good commission. For particulars  
write, E. B. Schoonmaker, Winona,  
Minn. Give references. 9312

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Desirable furnished  
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## WOMAN'S REALM

### WOMEN'S CLUBS ARE AT DULUTH

Biggest Convention Yet Held by State Federation of Women's Clubs, Yellow Ribbon Everywhere

#### THE 21ST ANNUAL GATHERING

Reports of Year's Work are Presented—May Make Some Changes in the Constitution

The twenty-first annual convention of the State Federation of Women's clubs was opened at Duluth by Mrs. Clarence L. Atwood, of St. Cloud. Rev. John W. Hoffman, pastor of the First Methodist church, pronounced the invocation and Mrs. J. L. Washburn gave the address of welcome, to which Mrs. J. M. Schwartz of St. Paul gave the response.

Following these addresses the real business of the meeting began and reports were given by the state officers and the district presidents. Yellow ribbons are everywhere in Duluth, for the city is host to the largest convention of women ever assembled for an annual meeting. Prominent in committee work is Mrs. W. C. Cobb of Brainerd, chairman of the program committee.

"The Sixth district has added to its roll three new clubs in the past year," said Mrs. L. D. Brown, president of that district. "There is a total of twenty-two clubs."

Several clubs are maintaining or helping maintain rest rooms. One club of twenty members has built a community house. Drinking fountains have been donated to several towns by the club women and cleanup days and school gardens have been instituted and fostered.

"Many public libraries in the smaller towns have received generous and substantial aid from the club women. We of the Sixth district feel that we have been especially distinguished in having given to the state such an efficient and admirable woman as Mrs. Mrs. Atwood, our retiring president."

In he report Mrs. V. C. Sherman, recording secretary, said: "The federation is growing and expanding outwardly in numbers and influence, and inwardly its membership is striving for greater efficiency by painstaking analysis of conditions under which we live, and intensive work for the betterments we covet everywhere. We are appreciative of our material growth, and of the clarified and higher ideals before us, as well as mindful of our more complicated and strenuous efforts, to attain that for which we are reaching as the years go by. The applications of a steady stream of new clubs joining with us, signifies that we are ever marching on."

#### Install Officers

The Lady Macabees have elected and installed the following officers: Lady Commander—Mrs. Dora Hohmann.

Lieut. Commander—Mrs. Minnie Higbe.

Past Commander—Mrs. Annie Dieckhaus.

Record Keeper—Mrs. Adeline Manus.

Finance Auditor—Miss Sara Irwin. Chaplain—Mrs. Ina Lyons. Lady at Arms—Mrs. Libbie Titus. Sergeant—Mrs. Ethel Hess. Sentinel—Mrs. Maude Mutch. Picket—Mrs. Christine Peterson. Musician—Mrs. Bessie McCulloch.

The officers were installed by Past Commander Mrs. Emma Forsyth. The young ladies of the order are planning for the twenty-third anniversary of the order on Tuesday evening, Oct. 5th, and promise their guests a rare treat.

#### Dancing Party No. 1

An informal dancing party will be given by Brainerd Lodge No. 615, B. P. O. Elks, at their hall, on Friday evening, September 24. Music will be furnished by the Blue Ribbon orchestra. Dancing starts at 8:30.

#### Marriage License

Sept. 21—William C. Sandelbach and Elsie Blanche Rich.

#### MUSIC AND DRAMA

##### At the Grand

Suffice it to say that "Three Weeks" contained nothing objectionable and really is a play good enough for anyone. Technically, the picture passes without a criticism. Every part was admirably handled by a competent cast of Broadway players. It will be shown again tonight.

#### MARRIED TUESDAY

Marriage of G. S. Swanson and Miss Selma Johnson solemnized at St. Cloud in Afternoon

The St. Cloud Journal Press in its society columns Tuesday had this advance mention of the wedding of G. S. Swanson of this city and Miss Selma Johnson:

The marriage of Miss Selma Johnson and Gothfred B. Swanson of Brainerd will take place at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride. Only the relatives and immediate friends will be present. Mr. Swanson is a prominent young attorney of Brainerd, having formerly been county attorney. Among the out-of-town guests are Dr. Gust Haasberg of Minneapolis, Oscar Swanson, who is attending the University, relatives of the groom from Brainerd and Dr. W. A. Erickson of Brainerd.

#### Riche-Sandelbach

Miss Elsie Riche, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riche of this city, and William Sandelbach of Watertown, Wis., were married Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the German Evangelical Lutheran Zion's church, Rev. Edward H. Joesting officiating.

The bride was charmingly gowned in a blue traveling suit with black picture hat to match. She carried red roses. Her attendant was Miss Julia Sylvester. The best man was Frank Konz, of Watertown, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandelbach left this afternoon for their home in Wadena where the bridegroom is employed as a lineman by the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co. The best wishes of their many friends in Brainerd accompany them to their new home.

#### PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Esther Gustafson went to Deerwood this afternoon.

Miss Hannah Highfield returned to Deerwood this afternoon.

Mrs. C. G. Nordin and baby daughter Margaret, are visiting a week in St. Paul.

Mrs. Elmer Forsberg and daughter Little Marjorie, are visiting in Duluth and Superior.

Mrs. John Willis and daughter Miss Lizzie and son Elmer Willis left this afternoon for a visit in St. Paul and Duluth.

Mrs. Henry Hurley has returned from St. Paul after a pleasant visit with her daughters, Mrs. F. C. Whitmarsh and Miss Norah Hurley.

Miss Hildur Anderson, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gustafson and friends, returned this afternoon to her home in St. Paul.

Mrs. William Bush of Brainerd, who has been visiting her son, C. A. Bush, and family, also friends and relatives at Nyomore, returned to her home this morning.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Mrs. W. H. Gemmill has gone to Northome where she will act as one of the judges of the art and culinary exhibit of the Koochiching county fair.

#### SOUTHERN METHODIST U. OPENS

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 22—The Southern Methodist university, completed this summer at a cost of more than half a million dollars, opened here today with about 600 students enrolled. A campaign is now under way to collect \$1,000,000 through the south as a permanent endowment for the institution.

#### The Mississippi.

According to John Fiske, it was in the year 1519, 101 years before the Mayflower reached Plymouth rock, that the Mississippi was seen by the eyes of a white man. Says Fiske: "Proof was already at hand that Florida was not an island, for in 1519 Alvarez de Pineda had followed that coast as far as the site of Tampico, in Mexico, where he found Cortes and his men. Pineda then turned back and after awhile entered the mouth of the Mississippi, which he called Rio de Santa Espirito. He seems to have been the first European to sail upon this great river. How far he ascended is not clear, but he spent six weeks upon its banks trading with Indians."

#### Newspaper Man Recommends It

R. R. Wentworth of the St. James (Mo.) News, writes: "A severe cold settled in my lungs. I feared pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar straightened me up immediately. I recommend this genuine cough and lung medicine." Right now thousands of hay fever and asthma sufferers are thankful for this wonderful healing and soothing remedy. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

## Well, Dad, It's Time You Were Thinking About Digging for Gwendolyn's Winter Millinery



## PREACHES HIS FAREWELL SERMON

Rev. Alex J. Abbott, Popular Minister of Methodist Church, to Leave Cuyuna

#### FRANK LIND SHOT IN THE HAND

Cuyuna Furnishing Many Young Men for the Harvest Fields in the Dakotas

Cuyuna, Minn., Sept. 22.—Rev. Alex J. Abbott, pastor of the Methodist church at Deerwood, Crosby and Cuyuna for two years, preached his farewell sermon in the Cuyuna church Sunday, before a large congregation who regretted to see him go. On Sept. 25 Rev. Abbott will attend the annual session of the Northern Minnesota Conference and be appointed to a new field.

Visitors in Brainerd were Capt. and Mrs. Gust Sylow, their daughter Miss Hannah Sylow, John Molander and Oscar Peterson. The trip was made in an automobile, the roads to the county seat being in fine shape.

John Kalinski is visiting friends in Duluth.

Ed Lent of Deerwood, is plastering eighteen houses for the Rogers, Brown Cos. Co.

Pulling a gun toward him while seated in a boat as he was fishing at Pine river, the weapon was discharged and shot Frank Lind in the hand.

The Kennedy mine is hoisting and loading from skips. Stockpiling will commence in November.

August Swanson of Brainerd, mining Inspector of the county, was in the village on business.

A guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peterson is Mrs. Reddy of Graceville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Harte and Miss Grace Harte were Brainerd visitors this week.

Cuyuna is furnishing many young men for the Dakota harvest fields. They report North Dakota wages in one section as being \$6.50 per day for man and team and \$3.50 for men, and more men needed.

#### Aluminum From Greenland.

Cryolite, a source of aluminum and used in making soda and glass, is not produced in the United States, the entire supply used in this country being imported from Ilulissat, an Eskimo hamlet on the southern coast of Greenland.

#### Citrolax

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Best thing for constipation, sour stomach, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Stops a sick headache almost at once. Gives a most thorough and satisfactory flushing—no pain, no nausea. Keeps your system cleaned, sweet and wholesome. Ask for Citrolax. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf-w

**Historic Limoges.**  
Once a flourishing Roman city and supposed to be one of seven cities where Christianity was planted about the middle of the third century. Limoges is the capital of the department of Haute-Vienne and is 250 miles south of Paris. Its porcelain manufacturers are justly celebrated. In 1768 knolls were found near by, and naturally Limoges immediately began making the hard paste porcelain. This is more durable, though ware of soft paste often less costly in the decorating and has a pleasing softness of effect.

#### JULY LIKE A MAN.

Mrs. Snively—Me make me tired. Mrs. Snively—What's the matter now? Mrs. Snively—My husband saw Mrs. Keeled yesterday, and I asked him what she had on, and he replied, "Oh, clothes."—Stray Stories.

#### JITNEY DRIVERS CONVENE

Youngstown, O., Sept. 22—A state organization of jitney bus drivers was to be perfected at a convention opening here today.



## "None for You, Teddy!"

Can't blame a boy for keeping all he can get of the

## NEW Post Toasties

You'll know why when you taste the new delicious flavor—along with a body and tender crispness that don't mush down in cream.

In the new process of manufacture, intense heat expands the interior moisture, raising little pearl-like "puffs" on each flake—a distinguishing feature of the

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Your grocer has them now

40 HELPINGS FOR 15 CENTS

Say Sims

Try the new flavor

SIMS Breakfast Food is the cereal with a new flavor which has revived the pleasure of breakfasts.

Sims is made from the best selected Northern wheat, and roasted barley malt—the two most nutritious and health-building cereals.

You have often seen it advertised. Have you tasted it yourself?

Look for the rich brown particles of roasted barley malt. Malt adds flavor, delicacy and nourishment.

Ask your grocer to send you a package today. Your family will be delighted with the new flavor.

SIMS CEREAL COMPANY  
Minneapolis, Minn., U.S.A.

MALT & **Sims** WHEAT  
**Sims** Breakfast Food

#### THE TEST OF MERIT

Brainerd People are Given Convincing Proof

No better test of any article can be made than the test of time and this is particularly true of a kidney medicine. Doan's Kidney Pills have stood this test and stood it well. What better proof of the merits of this remedy could you demand, than the statement of a Brainerd resident who used it successfully and tells of lasting results.

#### Read the following:

Paul Hansen, carpenter, Tenth & Quince Sts., Brainerd, says: "I had a sort of rheumatic swelling in my knee and I had other kidney and bladder troubles. Doan's Kidney Pill gave me prompt relief." (Statement given October 13, 1910.)

OVER THREE YEARS LATER Mr. Hansen said: "I am as good a friend of Doan's Kidney Pill as ever. The relief they give me has been permanent."

Price 50¢, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pill—the same that Mr. Hansen had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advt.

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## THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

By Ingersoll &amp; Wieland

SUBSCRIPTION RATES  
One Month . . . . . Forty Cents  
One Year, strictly in advance . . . . . \$4.00  
Office in Dispatch Building on 6th St.  
Entered at the post office at Brainerd,  
Minn., as second class matter



WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1915.

## WAR AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR TARIFF

Minneapolis Journal:—In lieu of an adequate tariff we have the war. The temporary protection afforded American production by the war acts for the time beneficially, exactly as an adequate tariff acts during the period of its enforcement.

The proof of this issues from Washington in the official utterance of the Department of Commerce of the very administration that gave the country a tariff demonstration to be inadequate by the experience of seven months before the war's outbreak. Says Mr. Wilson's Department of Commerce:

"The world's conflict has been of unmeasured value to American industry as a whole."

And it enumerates instances, among others this:

Less conspicuous and spectacular, but of far greater permanent value, is the impulse given to the manufacture on American soil with American raw materials of a variety of articles for which we have hitherto been dependent upon foreign skill and enterprise.

American ingenuity, adaption, inventive talent, scientific attainments and general enterprise have promptly rallied to meet widespread demands and establish on our own soil the permanent manufacture of a number of wares, some of them of minor, other of major importance.

Elder voters will remember the arguments of McKinley for the transplantation of the tin plate industry from Wales to the United States. In effect, what McKinley said in 1890 the Department of Commerce is now saying twenty-five years later.

Such industries as the manufacture of dyes and the production of potash are being transferred from Germany to this country by the operation of the war which is in effect a substitute for a tariff. The Department of Commerce expresses confidence that "the return of peace will see them well rooted and able to withstand foreign competition."

The war has demonstrated that only by its own choice or lack of courage in the United States dependent upon any outsider for almost any article or material of importance.

In connection with this authoritative pronouncement of the Department of Commerce it is to be noted that the daily deficit of the United States Treasury amounts to five hundred and forty-five thousand dollars, a promised year's deficit of one hundred and seventy million dollars.

Shall we see the Wilson Administration negotiating a two hundred million dollar loan and moving to the imposition of more harassing taxes?

## STATE AUDITOR DECLINES TO ACT

In the Hibbing Controversy Between Mayor Victor Power and Certain Mining Companies

FOR COLLECTION OF TAXES  
Auditor Preus Says the Enforcing of Taxes in This State Devolves Upon County Officials

The controversy between the mayor of Hibbing and the mining companies regarding the payment of taxes levied for improvements and for carrying on of public works and the expenditures of that city has become nation wide. In connection with the controversy the mayor of Hibbing has called upon the state auditor to do certain things in connection with the collection of these taxes and in declining to act in the matter State Auditor Preus has written the following letter to the chief executive of that city which fully explains and sustains his position, and which will be read with interest by many people in this city who have kept in touch with the proceedings:

September 20th, 1915.  
Hon. Victor L. Power, Mayor,  
Hibbing, Minnesota.

My dear Mr. Power:—On August 30th you wrote me, stating that you had sent me a previous letter, wherein you laid before me the matter of the tax controversy of the village of Hibbing and certain mining companies. That letter I have never received. I asked you by letter for a copy of the same, but you have failed to respond to my letter or send me a copy.

On September 16th I received an unsigned letter, relative to the cancellation of state mining leases, written on your letter head and which I presume was written by you.

In the Hibbing Tribune, of September 16th, in the Duluth News-Tribune and Duluth Herald, of about the same date, was published a statement to the effect that you had wired me to renew your demand of August 7th that I proceed under sections 2184, 2185 and 2183, general statutes 1913:

First, to restrain all mining companies operating within the village limits of Hibbing from removing any ore therefrom.

Second, that all ore mined within the village be seized by the state and sold to satisfy taxes.

You did not therein renew your demand which was contained in your telegram of August 7th, that I see the county attorney of St. Louis county with a view to having the officials of the mining companies prosecuted criminally.

Notwithstanding these statements in the newspapers, no communication from you relating thereto has been received by me, whether in the nature of a telegram, letter or otherwise.

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Attest: D. D. Haley,  
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While you had on July 1st, of this year, village orders unpaid in the sum of over one and a quarter million dollars, in the hands of a great many people who have had dealings with your village, you have made no provision for the payment of any of these obligations. Based on your population as of 1910, which has been used in all former comparisons, the levy just made will amount to \$215,000 per capita. It is contended by the taxpayers of your village that these large expenditures in the past and the large accumulation of village orders has been the result of extravagance and they are taking the usual and regular means of testing this matter in the courts, namely, by refusing to pay the taxes. The issue as to the alleged continued extravagance of the village is already in issue in your district court in injunction proceedings.

Last winter the legislature, for the purpose of having me certify to the correctness thereof, directed to me a summary of the expenditures according to population, based on the last United States census, of all cities and villages in the state of Minnesota with a population of over 900, copy of which I shall forward.

This statement shows: That the city of Minneapolis, with a population of 301,408, had a tax levy of \$3,772,450.65, or \$12.52 per capita.

Austrian cruisers Maria Theresa and Admiral Staudt were badly damaged in a fight with the French fleet in the Adriatic.

Heavy fighting is reported in France, the Germans attacking vigorously southeast of Verdun and claiming success. The French war office reports an advance of eleven miles in an effort to envelope Gen. Von Kluck's army on the right of the German line.

Late reports indicate 1133 British seamen were lost and 1677 saved by the sinking of three cruisers in the North Sea.

That the city of St. Paul, with a population of 214,744, levied taxes in the sum of \$2,404,464.31, or \$11.20 per capita.

That Duluth, with a population of 78,466, levied taxes in an amount of \$863,851.42, or \$11.01 per capita.

That Virginia, with a population of 10,473, levied taxes in the sum of \$386,997.40, or \$36.94 per capita.

That Mankato, with a population of 10,365, levied taxes \$82,414.57, or \$7.95 per capita.

That Crookston, with a population of 7,559, levied taxes in the sum of \$64,194.32, or \$8.49 per capita.

That Bemidji, with a population of

## THE TEUTONIC ADVANCE HAS SLOWED DOWN

By J. W. T. Mason, for United Press

Exhaustion of artillery ammunition on the part of the Germans is unquestionably the reason why the operations in the eastern war area are now so persistently indecisive. The Teutonic advance has slowed down from a run to a mere shuffle, and the large-scale operations result in only minor advantages. All of Von Hindenburg's strategic skill has not been able to overcome the Russian defense of Dvina river line, which is but an infantile affair compared with the recent campaign along the Vistula front. The capture of Vilna seems to have had an exhausting effect on the Germans, not produced even by the enterprise in Poland that culminated in the capture of Warsaw.

Everywhere, from the Riga operations to the new offensive in eastern Galicia, the lack of Teutonic vigor is apparent to every observer. Predictions of German victories do not materialize and only light blows, that frequently seem to fall short, are being struck. All the most important of the Russian positions, constructed to check the Teutonic invasion, have now fallen, but with the way theoretically cleared the Teutons seem to be getting into deeper difficulties.

This condition of affairs is not due to the resumption of the chief command of his army by the czar, who is far from being a military genius. Nor are the Germans being checked by the sudden repletion of Russia's ammunition supply. The Slavs cannot have at the present time as much ammunition as was at their disposal for the defense of Galicia and Warsaw.

The respite which the Russians are receiving is unquestionably due to the continued inability of the Teutonic armies to establish a decisive superiority over the enemy in munitions. The Slavs lost their ammunition by capture, by graft and inefficiency. The Teutons blew theirs away during the unprecedented operations of the last five months. The eastern belligerents, therefore, are more nearly on an equality now than at any time since the drive through Galicia began.

In one respect, the Russians are at an advantage. Absence of artillery ammunition makes close-range fighting necessary and tends largely to equalize casualties. The czar can afford to lose far more men than can the Teutons. The Germans, therefore, must proceed cautiously. The necessity for conserving German lines and the shortage of artillery ammunition are now working to permit, in all probability, the escape of Russia's Vilna army.

5,099, levied taxes in the sum of \$31,876.87, or \$6.25 per capita.

That Faribault, with its population of 5,091, levied taxes in the sum of \$29,215.28, or \$5.25 per capita.

That Wilmar, with population of 4,135, levied taxes in the sum of \$22,575.90, or \$5.46 per capita.

That Fergus Falls, with a population of 6,887, levied taxes in the sum of \$21,134.49, or \$3.07 per capita.

That Albert Lea, with a population of 6,192, levied taxes in the sum of \$36,594.82, or a per capita tax of \$5.91.

That as contrasted with these figures, Hibbing with its accredited population of 8,823, levied a tax of \$753,800.46, or \$85.35 per capita.

In addition thereto the village of Hibbing issued village orders in approximately a like amount, which means that Hibbing expended not only \$750,000, raised by taxes, but expended approximately \$1,500,000, or \$170 per capita. Of course, some allowance must be made for the natural increase in population of your village as well as the other cities mentioned.

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## CROW WING COUNTY FAIR PROGRAM GIVEN

Wednesday, Sept. 22, Arranging of Exhibits. Thursday, Sept. 23 is "Brainerd Day"

### SPECIAL TRAIN FROM BRAINERD

Brainerd Booster Band to Play—Address by Charles A. Russell—County Farmers Clubs

The program for the Crow Wing county fair at Pequot has been announced in detail. Wednesday, Sept. 22, will be devoted to the arranging and placing of all articles for exhibits.

Here is Thursday's program, the big day of the fair, being "Brainerd Day" and also "Farmers Day":

#### THURSDAY

Judging of stock by Prof. Montgomery; Agricultural Products by Prof. Brown; Ladies Department by Mrs. Bush and Miss Hobart.

10:00 A. M.—Special Train arrives from Brainerd.

10:30—Band Concert by Brainerd Booster Band.

11:00—Trot or Pace Race, free-for-all-farmers; purse \$25, best two in three heats \$15 and \$10. Entrance fee \$3.00. Band Music.

11:30—Tug of War, Cass County Farmers vs Crow Wing County Farmers. Band Music.

12:00—Dinner. Band Music.

1:00—Speech Attorney Chas. A. Russell of Brainerd. Band Music.

1:30—County Federation of Farmers' Clubs Meeting. Band Music.

2:30—Base Ball Game, Brainerd Speedwells vs Pequot, purse \$50. Band Music.

4:00—Running Race, free-for-all farmers; purse \$14, best two in three heats, \$8 and \$6. Band Music.

8:00—Special Train leaves for Brainerd.

#### FRIDAY

9:30—Band Concert.

10:00—Free-for-all-farmers Running Race; purse \$14, best two in three heats, \$8 and \$6. Band Music.

10:30—Shetland Pony Race; purse

\$10, best two in three heats, \$6 and \$4.

In all races, 4 entries required, 3 to start.

Races will be pulled off regardless of weather or entry fee returned. All entries to be made with J. G. Thurlow, treasurer, on the first day of the fair.

Band Music.

12:00—Dinner.

1:00—Band concert.

1:30—Five mile foot race; purse \$5 and \$3. Band Music.

2:00—Dairy Talk by John Lindberg, of the State Dairy and Food Department. Band Music.

2:30—Base Ball Game, Pine River vs Winner of Thursday's game. Band Music.

6:00—Freight leaves for Brainerd with passenger coach attached.

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Mayor of Brainerd

"In offering this proclamation," said Mayor Beise, "it is with a desire to show our appreciation to the officers and members of the Crow Wing County Agricultural Society and all farmers of the county to whom the fair is dedicated."

"I believe it fitting and proper that all places of business be closed on 'Brainerd Day' so as to allow em-

ployees as well as employers the opportunity of attending."

The special train on the Minnesota & International railway leaves Brainerd at 9 o'clock Thursday morning and arrives at Pequot at 10 o'clock. On the return trip the train leaves at 8 in the evening and arrives in Brainerd at 9 o'clock.

Attention is also called to the special coach to be attached to the M. & I. freight 6 o'clock Friday evening, being of great convenience to Brainerd people returning home Friday.

Mr. Thurlow, treasurer, on the first day of the fair, being "Brainerd Day" and also "Farmers Day":

12:00—Dinner.

1:00—Band concert.

1:30—Five mile foot race; purse \$5 and \$3. Band Music.

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#### FOUNDRYMEN'S CONVENTION

E. O. Webb Left Monday to Attend Gathering to be Held in Atlantic City

E. O. Webb, of the Parker & Toppling Co., has gone to the east where he will attend the National Foundrymen's convention at Atlantic City Sept. 25 to Oct. 1. He will visit friends and relatives in New York and Pennsylvania, returning home about Oct. 10.

#### "ACTORS" BURGLE

"Wild Woman" and Oriental Piper at Motley, Rudely Unmasked at Morrison County Fair

James Murphy and Joseph Bushaw, alias Vincent, departed from their profession as carnival and county fair entertainers and for the time entered the more exciting pursuit of burglarizing during their engagement at the Morrison county fair held at Motley.

They were arraigned before Judge Roemer and Murphy was sentenced to the reformatory and Bushaw to the Morrison county jail at Little Falls for three months. Murphy played the pipes in the Oriental show that formed a part of the fair attraction and Bushaw thrilled the visitors as the wild woman who snatched the heads from live chickens and drank their blood.

#### LOST HIS AUTOMOBILE

Federal Officers Confiscate Car and Quantity of Liquor it Contained in Indian Territory

Wadena Pioneer Journal: Anton Kaufman of Bluffton township, was intercepted by federal officers last Thursday evening and a quantity of liquor and his Ford automobile confiscated in Indian territory. Liquor had been repeatedly introduced into that section since the closing of the Bluffton saloon and the Indian agents are watching it pretty closely.

Mr. Kaufman immediately came to this city and purchased another car.

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**Carranza Forces Capture Chihuahua**

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 22—Carranzaists in a sweeping northward movement have captured Chihuahua, Villa's capital. Villa's army is fleeing to the northern border of Chihuahua state.

**Boy's Age is 19, Has Mind of Child**

(By United Press)

Chicago, Sept. 22—Nunes Pethick a 19 year old boy with a seven year old mind, is on trial after confessing to having murdered Mrs. Ella Coppersmith and baby, the counsel for the defense based their plea upon the law forbidding sentencing children. The testimony of alienists was that the boy has the mind of a seven year old child.

September 20

Cuyler Adams and wife to H. C. Beecher lot 11 blk. 2 Hale's Addn. to Crosby wd Torrens.

Same to Joseph Teare lots 15 and 16 blk. 4 same Addn. wd Torrens.

Ira W. Smith and wife to George A. Houde lot 19 blk. 4 West Park Addn. to Crosby wd Torrens.

Carrie P. Hill and husband et al by Atty. to William Kieber Gates lot 4 blk. 9 Ironon wd \$350.

State of Minnesota to Joseph L. Near lot 9 blk. 285 First Addn. to Brd. state tax deed.

September 21

J. A. Strickland and wife to Anna Underwood lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 in 24-135-28 and n<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> section 25-135-28 wd \$1 etc.

Anna Underwood and husband to H. D. Gundert same description wd \$1 etc.

E. E. Wilkinson and wife to Edward Morton und. 1/2 int. in lot 6 of 2-135-28 wd \$100.

**Villa Makes Last Stand at Sonora**

(By United Press)

Molina, Sonora, Sept. 22—Dispatches indicate Villa intends to make his last stand in Sonora and is preparing to evacuate Juarez.

**A. M. E. CENTENNIAL MEETING**

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 22—The annual conference and centennial convention of the African Methodist Episcopal church opened here today for a five day session. Bishop Benjamin F. Lee, Wilberforce, O., is presiding. In the 500 delegates are many negro educators and journalists as well as churchmen.

**Henry Ford Promises to Ride Submarine**

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 22—Henry Ford promised Secretary Daniels during a conference this afternoon that he will take a trip in a United States submarine and will attempt to devise a needed motor for use in this style of craft.

**Many Complaints Heard**

This summer many persons are complaining of headaches, lame backs, rheumatism, biliousness and of being "always tired." Aches, pains and ill caused by kidneys not doing their work yield quickly to Foley Kidney Pills. They help elimination, give sound sleep and make you feel better. H. P. Dunn, druggist—Adv.

#### PIONEER PASSED AWAY

James Chadwick of Northeast Brainerd, Died Last Evening. Came from England in 1879

James Chadwick, a well known resident of Brainerd, died last evening at his home after an illness of long duration. He had suffered from heart trouble and asthma and for a time had been at St. Joseph's hospital.

Mr. Chadwick was born in Stockport near Manchester, England, on November 5, 1844. He was married to Miss Emily Ridgway on Sept. 3, 1865. They emigrated to America in 1879 and settled at Green Prairie near Little Falls where he lived for 22 years. They removed to Brainerd in 1902 and he had lived here ever since.

While in England he was a member of the Stockport Sunday school, the largest Sunday school in the world. He was superintendent of the Little country Sunday school at Green Prairie for many years and since coming to Brainerd had taken a great interest in the work at the Baptist Mill mission.

Seven children blessed the union. He is survived by his widow and these three children, Mrs. George W. Hall, Mrs. George A. Cain and Miss Lillian Chadwick, all of Brainerd.

Other relatives are a brother William Chadwick of Little Falls, a nephew Charles Swindells of Brainerd and a cousin Mrs. William Edden of Green Prairie. They are the only living relatives in this country.

Funeral services will be held from the Baptist Mill mission on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The sympathy of their many friends is extended the family in its sad bereavement.

#### OSSIPEE ITEMS

Mrs. E. E. Taylor visited with Mrs. Gafke of Brainerd a few days last week.

Gregor Koering and Leeland Lougee visited a few days with S. R. Lougee's.

The Larkin club met with Mrs. Van Horn last Thursday. The afternoon was spent in conversation and a luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Brainerd, spent Sunday with Mrs. Linn Lougee.

Everyone in this neighborhood is going to the county fair at Pequot Thursday. A great many products grown in this locality will be shown with the exhibits.

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#### SEPTEMBER MORNING

Brainerd Will Bask in Sunshine of "September Morn," Roseately Successful Comedy

After waiting a good solid year for it, we are at last to bask in the sunshine of "September Morn." It comes to the Brainerd opera house Thursday evening, Sept. 23, almost direct from the La Salle opera house, Chicago.

To tell the story of a musical comedy in advance of its presentation is as unsatisfactory as it is unknown—yet that of "September Morn" concerns a certain "fake" professor of art and dealer of "phoney" old masters, one Rudolph Plastic—who by some chance fortune has become possessed of the celebrated painting called "September Morn," a study in the nude by a French artist, and proclaims himself as its painter; although, if he was called upon to kalsomine an ordinary kitchen pantry, would make a mess of the job. Argentine, an ambitious actress and tango dancer, having seen the picture and craving publicity, instructs her press agent, one Willie Bunkem, to promulgate the story—all of which throws the designing dancer in the limelight of popularity.

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## DUMBA'S NOTES RAKE PRESIDENT

Also Contain Criticisms of Secretary Lansing.

### SEIZE THIRTY-FOUR PAPERS

British Authorities Take Austrian and German Documents From James F. J. Archibald, American Correspondent, and Turn Them Over to American Officials.

London, Sept. 22.—Of the thirty-four Austrian and German papers found in the possession of James F. J. Archibald, the American correspondent, when he was apprehended Aug. 30, at Falmouth, while proceeding from New York on board the steamer Rotterdam for Rotterdam, seventeen are described as having been made public and the other seventeen as being "insufficient to warrant publication."

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador to the United States, in one letter said that Mr. Archibald "is proceeding to Germany to collect material for lectures in the United States in the interest of the German cause."

In a letter addressed to Mr. Archibald, Count von Bernstorff says:

"I have heard with pleasure that you wish once more to return to Germany and Austria after having promoted our interests out here in such a zealous and successful manner."

Captain von Papen, the military attaché at the German embassy in Washington, in a letter to a Berlin friend, said:

"Mr. Archibald is going to Germany and Austria to collect new impressions from the point of view of the strictly impartial journalist he always has been."

There are three letters from Dr. Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, to Baron von Burian, Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, dated Aug. 20.

#### One Already Published.

The first is the letter already published, relating to proposals for the prevention of the production of war material or the disorganization of munition factories in the United States.

The second criticizes Secretary of State Lansing's reply to Baron von Burian's protest against the large deliveries of weapons to the allies. The letter declares the legal arguments of Mr. Lansing are "certainly very weak," but adds that to return to the question is useless, "having regard to the somewhat self-willed temperament of the president."

The third letter tells of the publication of the documents, adding:

"Count von Bernstorff took the position that these slanders require no answer and had the happy inspiration to refuse any explanation, to be in no way compromised."

The letter concludes:

"Everything German here will be more energetically and consistently slandered and belied. No impartial person could fail to be impressed with a feeling of gratitude at the wide activity of Geheimrat Albert. There are, however, very few impartial people in New York."

The torpedoing of the Arabic, should it have been sunk without warning or should any American passengers have lost their lives, would have a more unfavorable effect with regard to Germany on public opinion in the United States than all the newspaper revelations."

### HIS INJURIES PROVE FATAL

**Farmer Caught in Belt and Hurled Against Engine.**

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 22.—Joseph M. Burley died at a hospital here from injuries received while threshing near Gardner, this county. Burley and his father were standing near the rig when they noticed that the belt was slipping off of the pulley of the separator. They were trying to keep it in place when it suddenly flew off the pulley and fell around young Burley's neck. Before the engine could be stopped it had carried him to the engine where his head was hit several times. His skull was fractured. He was about thirty-two years of age and leaves a wife and two small children.

### NEW RAILWAY IS PLANNED

**Company to Build Road From Mitchell to Pierre, S. D.**

Pierre, S. D., Sept. 22.—Articles of incorporation were filed for the South Dakota Short Line Railway company, to construct a line from Mitchell to Pierre.

It is capitalized at \$2,000,000. The incorporators are C. W. Adams of Council Bluffs, Ia., and men who live along the proposed line.

### DOMINGOREBELLSURRENDER

**General Felin and Other Revolutionists Lay Down Arms.**

Santo Domingo, Sept. 22.—It was officially announced that General Felin, one of the revolutionary leaders, and other revolutionists have surrendered their arms and ammunition.

Quiet prevails in the north and south of the republic.



Scene from "September Morn" at the Opera House Tomorrow Evening

## Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

### Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

What necessary changes must be made to increase the available maximum speed of a car?

The weight of the vehicle should first be decreased as much as possible, removing all nonessential units of equipment. Since wind resistance is an important factor in the speed of the car, it becomes evident that every effort should be made to reduce it. The hood should be made long and tapering so that it comes almost to a point, leaving just enough space in front to permit air currents to reach the radiator. After the body has been streamlined as much as possible attention should be turned to the mechanical parts. If possible the valve seats should be enlarged and new valves of greater diameter procured. If only the intake valves can be made larger it is a good idea to do this. A counterbore or an oversize valve reseating tool may be used to enlarge the valve seats, and new valves are comparatively cheap. The lift of the valves may be slightly increased by substituting larger cams.

Resetting of the magneto will depend upon conditions. Setting it ahead will cause the motor to stop if the throttle is set down too far. If it is possible to use a larger carburetor and intake header it is best to do so, for if the intake valves are made larger more mixture can be accommodated. The frictional loss in the motor is reduced somewhat by removing one of the piston rings, but if the pistons have but two narrow rings this should not be done. Lighter pistons will help matters materially. Some use pistons of magnesium, steel or semisteel, while others take the old pistons and drill holes in them. Care should be taken in doing this work that each piston weighs the same as any of the other pistons. If possible use lighter connecting rods, but it would not do to remove metal from the old ones, for the strength might be impaired. New rods of stronger metal and thinner sections or hollow rods are better.

Can you give the formula for determining the horsepower required to spin an engine?

We know of no formula, but the power required to spin a motor at a given speed may be measured by a dynamometer. The latter is made to turn the motor, and the wattage of the dynamometer will be the approximate power required.

How does the efficiency of the worm drive axle compare with the bevel drive axle?

Compared with a single reduction bevel gear the efficiency of the worm gear is undoubtedly lower, taking for granted the accuracy in manufacture of the part passing over the top leaf of the spring, with ordinary tire or electrician's tape. If this is neatly wound and painted to match the spring it will not look like a bit of patchwork and it will effectively prevent the clip from rattling.

I am troubled by the small clips on my springs working loose and causing a disagreeable rattle. Are these points open or closed when firing?

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Why does a motor misfire with the spark fully advanced at high speed?

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There is a steady tapping in my motor which cannot be located. It is more noticeable when there is a strain on the motor. Can you explain it?

A bent valve stem will in nearly every case cause a knock to be heard. If the valve springs of any one cylinder are weak that cylinder may misfire and give the effect of a part slightly loose. See if the valve and ignition timing are correct. Perhaps the noise you hear is nothing more than a valve slap, which is caused by the valve seating improperly.

What is an offset steering knuckle?

The best way to seal the cracks is to play a torch on the compound so as to melt it in the proximity of the breaks.

How can one find the firing order of a motor?

A fairly good method is as follows: Taking No. 1 cylinder, get both valves so they are closed. Then turn the motor over slowly and watch for the next cylinder to have both its valves closed. This will be the next cylinder to fire. Continue turning the motor crank shaft, and note the next cylinder, with its valves closed, and so on. Another method is to open the petcocks, and by holding the hand over them one at a time the order of the suction strokes can be found and hence the firing order.

Can you give me some information on casehardening steel?

Casehardening of iron or steel refers to a process of causing steel, after being sufficiently heated, to absorb a certain amount of carbon, so that the resulting mass will have a coating or case of a relatively hard substance. The process of doing the work varies, and a great variety of carbonaceous substances are used for introducing

the carbon into the metal. Solids are used more extensively than either liquids or gases for this work, and some of the more common substances are charcoal obtained from wood or bone; charred leather, a mixture of borium carbonate and charcoal in the proportions of 40 to 60 per cent respectively; powdered bone, salt, 10 per cent; charcoal, 90 per cent; animal black charcoal and potassium carbonate, potassium cyanide, etc.

The extent of the hardening—that is, the thickness of the case—will be dependent upon three things—namely, the temperature of the part to be hardened, the time the heated metal is in contact with the carbonaceous material and the kind of material used for producing the case. The usual casehardening temperature is 1,650 degrees F., but the higher the temperature the deeper will be the case. The article to be hardened is heated in a furnace and when a cherry red is removed and embedded in the hardening material. After removal it sometimes is customary to heat treat the casehardened steel. This is done by reheating to about the same temperature or higher, if possible, and then quenching in water or oil. A second heating often is given, but not as high as either of the others.

Can you explain the distance of the platinum points on both high and low tension magneto? Are these points open or closed when firing?

The usual gap is one and thirty-two hundredths inches, but this may vary slightly, depending upon conditions. Sometimes a one-sixteen hundredth inch gap is best. In most systems the spark occurs on the break of the points, but in some of the older systems, where the one interrupter was made to control both battery and magneto primaries, the points came together to cause the battery spark and separated to cause the magneto spark.

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I am having trouble with my lubrication and ignition system. So large a quantity of oil is fed that the motor smokes constantly and carbon forms very rapidly. Especially is this true in the rear cylinder, from which the oil exudes constantly.

The trouble is caused by too much oil getting above the piston, which is due either to poorly fitting rings or a worn cylinder, or it may be that the connecting rod scops are too long and thus too much oil is splashed. Do not put too much oil into the crank case—that is, lower the level slightly, and if the trouble ceases have the scops on the rod ends filed down slightly and then raise the level.

Odd Indian Belief.

The Indians living near the celebrated Mesa Verde in southwestern Colorado hold in great awe the prehistoric dwellings of the, Mancos valley, which are by far the finest and best preserved of any in the American southwest. They will not believe that it was Pueblo Indians, or any Indians in fact, who, so long ago that the oldest traditions describe them as they now are, carved these wonderful cities out of the cliffs. They believe that spirits built the cliff dwellings, and that spirits still inhabit them. They reverently call these spirits the "little people." For this reason it is difficult to induce Indians to approach the cliff dwellings.—Argonaut.

Failed to Catch the Tune.

A professor in an old Pennsylvania college was conducting a review in Latin. Of a sleepy looking youth he asked the question, "What construction is that at the top of page 12?" "I don't know," was the prompt reply.

"Why not?" thundered the professor. "I have been harping on that construction all term."

"I know you have, professor," was the soft reply, "but I haven't caught the tune yet."



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